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Here shall the Press the People's rights maintain Unau'd by party, and nubribed by gain, Pledged but to Truth, to Liberty and Law, No Pavor sways as, and no Pear shall awe.

I am content to bide my time, until the pen o opartial history shall reveal the secret work ings of the machinery by which this grand rest writers, echaemission seems to be to delfysome men by demonstrag others, shall have given place to the historian who can discern principles as well as men, truth as well as fiction.—Charles Robinson.

Associate Editor.
We take pleasure this week in introducing Mr. MARTIN to the public as associate editor, for the time being, of the Herald of Freedom, Mr. Martin is a good writer, a gentleman of experience, a first rate printer, and as such has the superrision of the mechanical department of our paper. Mr. M. had charge of the editorial department of the H. of F. during plete satisfaction to all concerned.

It is a well known fact that a liar is ceived; but when he finds he has been wise haunt him continually.

actions, we should infer were bad men .-They seem to suppose all persons to be false but themselves-they are always expecting to be duped. Friends as well

a rival practitioner is probably destitute if they lead the blind all will fall into the was convicted. of legal learning; whilst the doctor who ditch. animadverts upon other members of his profession is not above suspicion.

The church member who talks the loudest about members falling from grace, and who deplores the lukewarmness in will be suspected of backsliding.

to desert his post, is sure to have been tho. first that was sustained by charitable conhave an existence.

Now we don't want anybody to make a personal application of these aphorisms. as they are facts which every day's experience has established, and are only published to call the attention of the reader to them anew. If, however, any person has claims against publishers who are waiting the downfall of their neighbors. it would be well to be on the lookout for them, as they cannot be safely trusted.

Very Humiliating. We are certainly humiliated to see the course of some of our Kansas cotempora ries in regard to Gov. Chase's letter to us several weeks ago, giving his views on Kansas matters. These journals have no arguments to combat differences of opinion with, but when a man differs from them, it becomes a criminal offence, and he must be crushed at once. One after another of our Kansas men have been stricken down by them, until none of the old leaders of the party are left. Even Doct Rosinson, whom they idolized a faw months ago, is now a very bad man in their opinion, and he must be put out of the way. We in our simplicity, supposed that it was to get those men said so they could get the offices, that they thus deported themselves; but what earthly consideration can induce them to strike at Gov. Chase of Ohio ? Former-It it was the delight of Free State men ly been singing praises to his memory are to desire the advice of the time-honored leaders of the old anti-slavery guard in the States , but now these new lights Kansas discover that it is criminal for statesmen to express an opinion antago nistic to theirs. On the floor of the Oh Legislature a few days ago, when son member had spoken harshly of Gov CHASE, a Buchanan Democrat from Cincinnati-Senator HATCH-sprang to his

"No man shall assail the character Gov. Chase in my hearing, without my reprobation. His integrity is above suspicion, and nothing the press can say of him will be more than the idle wind. There is no man in Ohio to who would concede higher principles of honor. He knew the Governor, and there was no man in whose hands he would more will-ingly confide his estate, without the scratch

non-written letters for Gov. Chase to in dorse? Will the people never open their eyes to the wickedness of these men?

Free State paper published in Kansas, and for the State of Kansas closed its labors it has stood by the cause through evil as on Saturday last, and the result will soon well as good report. The name, though be before the public. At the time of our we have since learned that it had been present writing we have not seen the inpreviously used, was original with us, and strument, but understand it provides for in the most private circles, and when he credit for the tenacity with which he has was accidentally determined on as the name | the election of all its officers, executive, for our journal. Since then several other legislative and judicial, by the people, papers, professedly Free State, have been thus making it "republican in form." The stablished in Kansas, four of which have | Constitution is to be submitted to a vote plagiarized the idea and almost the name of the people on the 3d Tuesday in May, of our paper: 1st, The Kansas Freeman, at which time the State officers are to be published for a time at Topeka by Mr. elected for two years, and the Senate of path at Doniphan, and which has "kinder | "white" is omitted, but power is delegated gin out," and 4th, Freedom's Champion, to the first Legislature to submit the queswhich superceded the Squatter Sovereign. tion, who shall exercise the elective fran-Each of those papers which have tried chise, to a direct vote of the people at the to steal our name, have also labored to rob first general election, which will be in two us of our good reputation. The Kansas years, Freeman has long since gone the way of defunct journals, and its name is almost peka, and all subsequent Legislatures at forgotten. The Crusader of Freedom an- the Capital, where the public business is "fillustrated" paner, and the special organ been mentioned by name. of the Free State party. The Republican press all over the country heralded its exempts 160 acres of real estate from natal morn with joy, as it was to supersede sale on execution, without regard to its

our absence to St. Louis, and gave comof its appearance; it dies enunciating a by the judgment debtor. falsehood that, " The mission of the Free always suspicious of his neighbor, and is State party is ended." The Champion of vote of the people, but may be rented ed by the same motives which govern and rose again to die forever. Freedom's ed to the support of common schools. himself; whilst the truthful man is al- Champion will strut its hour on the stage, There are three Supreme Judges to ways credulous. The honest man looks but its editor will learn in time that it has

upon others as he would wish others to nothing to gain by running a tilt with the six years. The State is divided into five people and not jeopardize the fate of a in committing a crime against his country of the Pacific Steamers. On board the look upon him, and hence is at times de- Herald of Freedom. The latter has a circuits, with five circuit judges, who hold a Free Government, the apple of their as Jackson was firm in warding off and steamer we found the accommodations name and fame which will survive the office for four years. A County Court, eye, established by the sacrifice of pre-punishing it. We think that the comdefrauded by a villain, he remarks that it times, and the plagiarists who seek to rob with original probate and criminal jurisdicis better so than to suffer continually from | it of its title, and the vile herd who are | tion in minor offences, is to be organized the demon Suspicion which would other- alike destitute of genius, as they are of in each county, which will hold monthly In his dotage, he claims a foreseeing wis- or no Douglas foresaw the ultimate conmoral honesty, who cannot ape its good sessions. The officers are limited to two Some of our Kansas politicians, were qualities, hence are trying to crush it by years. we to judge of their characters by their representing us as possessing their bad

It is conceded at Washington that the defeat of the Lecompton Swindle was as opponents are suspected, consequently owing to Calhoun's having issued certifi. to the widow. the surface of affairs is always ruffled - cates of election to a Free State majority Somebody has been bought up, subsi- of the Legislature, by which the power was dized, or has voluntarily deserted his party given to the Free State party to supercede or principles. Somebody also is always that infamous Constitution by one framed in many respects they have not gone as cause disunion, is a question which has as law to all ultraists. Then when he ed in a few hours, an occurrence common the scoundrel-they are always honest by the people. Will our Kansas readers far as would many of the so-called con-been discussed at some length in Con- possessed physical strength, and not when to every Railroad, no incident has transmen in Kansas received from a certain pohas been that the thief is always the first litical junto, because they determined to have been recorded in favor of forever qualified to judge. True, civil war and were not in conflict with their purposes. is blasted through solid rock, and would G. Jones, Keitt, Kelley, Kunkel of person to cry "stop thief." If there is a participate in that election. Had the pol- prohibiting the manufacture and sale of consequent disunion has been prophecied When he made his speech against the be about as liable to do so as would the Lamar, Landy, Leidy, woman in the neighborhood of easy vir- icy of those men prevailed, Kansas would woman in the neighborhood of easy virtue, the world will know it by her contue, the world will know it by her conhave been in the Union a Slave State, and we would stitution pass Congress, but such politicians should the Lecompton Contue, the world will know it by her conhave been in the Union a Slave State, and we would stitution pass Congress, but such politicians should the Lecompton Contue, the world will know it by her conhave been in the Union a Slave State, and we would stitution pass Congress, but such politicians should the Lecompton Contue, the world will know it by her conhave been in the Union a Slave State, and we would stitution pass Congress, but such politicians should the Lecompton Conhave been in the Union a Slave State, and we would stitution pass Congress, but such politicians should the Lecompton Conhave been in the Union a Slave State, and stitution pass Congress, but such politicians should the Lecompton Conhave been in the Union a Slave State, and stitution pass Congress, but such politicians should the Lecompton Conhave been in the Union a Slave State, and stitution pass Congress, but such politicians should the Lecompton Conhave been in the Union a Slave State, and stitution pass Congress, but such politicians should the Lecompton Conhave been in the Union a Slave State, and stitution pass Congress, but such politicians should the Lecompton Conhave been in the Union a Slave State, and stitution pass Congress, but such politicians should be such politici stant abuse of her neighbors, who are free State men would have been fleeing This law which regulates the social been on the verge of a civil war. We could be held in security, capital punish- were a brave people; on the contrary But time has wrought a great change. structures of the kind in the country; and world, and which elicited the remark tremble as we think of the awful preci- ment should be prohibited by law; and we have always maintained that they The real intentions of Pro-Slavery men the track, though laid for a portion of the St. world, and which elicited the remark from Christ, "That measure which ye met to others shall be meted to you mete to others shall be meted to you world, and which elicited the remark from Christ, "That measure which ye ment should be prohibited by law; and distance along the bank of the Missouri, that solitary confinement for life should be meted to you the proper time. The same men who be substituted; and that the authority to last drop of blood and spend their last cloud was perceived on the political hori
The real intentions of Pro-Slavery men the track, though laid for a portion of the Missouri, that solitary confinement for life should be prohibited by law; and distance along the bank of the Missouri, that solitary confinement for life should be substituted; and that the authority to last drop of blood and spend their last cloud was perceived on the political hori
Taylor of Louisiana, Trippe, Ward, War ment of society. The merchant who is are now trying to lead us off in a similar vested in any power but the Legislature; But whether or no the result of the succonstantly remarking upon the bankrupt- direction, where political destruction will unless subsequent conclusive evidence cess of the Lecompton swindle be civil cy of his neighbor is not to be trusted. inevitably follow. The people should should establish the fact that the offender war, it does not in the least palliate the

(TIt is to be regretted that journalists professing to be actuated by a desire to make Kansas a Free State cannot let its feudal ages, which make the woman a ishly determined that the Swindle should cotemporaries alone, and pursue its own way, without eternally harning upon rival the church, is probably the first one who journals. The existence of the Herald of which God, in the creation, has thrown ton movement was the revival of the Af-The editor who thunders so valiantly of any person seeking its destruction, and is by nature intellectually, man's equal. one was but the forerunner of the other. against a rival, charging him with treach- it cannot be affected by any further falseery to principles, false to his trust, and as hoods at its expense. Its mission to Kanonly sustained by contributions, is the first sas was one which good men everywhere adopted, we would have been tolerant of market was becoming dull on account of approved-its policy has met the approtributions, and will probably first cease to publisher will consult his own method of up to our standard in this respect, and if quently planters felt, in their pockets, the hoods of our cotemporary we shall not republican in spirit. try, as it would consume our entire space to the exclusion of other matters.

Decidedly Rich!

The call for a State Convention, by the Union Committee, is in every particular agreeable to the instructions of a caucus unto, which met at Leavenworth a few evenings ago. We have nothing to say in regard to it, but it is possible the people will have something to say in the prem-Whether it was the same junto or another that fixed up the entire nominations for State officers we will not undertake to say, yet it is nevertheless true the entire people of Kansas; said that that the ticket is agreed upon, and a friend they had been divested of the rights to who was in the caucus has furnished us which they were entitled, and had no with a list of the candidates. The State means to redress their wrongs. They Convention will find nothing to do when were the victims of merciless warfare and convened only to ratify the nomination already agreed upon by a set of wire pullers. We have some rich developments which by the presence of the army of the Govthe public shall have the benefit of in due crument, the civil strife had at last culmitime. The people to elect United States Senators who are first to be nominated at which was designed to make perfect the a political Convention! Ha! ha! ha!

De Rosenson is now in Washington the passage of the Lecompton Constitution. Several presses which had former now giving the Doctor the cold shoulder and are laboring to prejudice the public against him, by falsifying his position We have no stock in that gentleman, but we do protest most solemnly against trying to put him down by lying insinuations such as we saw in a cotemporary las week. The policy is to strike down our old time honored leaders to make room for a set of adventurers whose chief capital is falsehood and misrepresentation.

the floor, and made one of the finest speeches which has been made on this floor,"-Report of debates published in

The store rooms on the first floor of the Eldridge House, in this city, are searly completed. They are an ornaThe THIED Constitutional Convention

The first Legislature is to meet at To-

A homestead feature is added which

No school lands can be sold without a

Senate and House one year.

The rights of married ladies are fully

protected, and the homestead is secured

keep in mind the abuse those Free State servatives in reforms. Had we been a gress, but of which those most conversant he was an invalid, he was applauded and pired this season to obstruct travel for a from the Territory, else we would have ries could be erected, so that criminals We have never denied that our people maintained among the Lecomptonites. over the Gasconade is one of the strongest carried offences should not be The lawyer who sees no legal talent in learn that these men are blind guides, and was not guilty of the crime of which he President from the commission of the

We, too, would have voted for confermere plaything for man, we would have be forced on Kansas at all hazards. clothed her with all the responsibilities | Intimately connected with the Lecc

the views of others, and would not have the high price at which even common bation of those who knew it best, and its proscribed any person who did not come field hands were being held, and conse opposition. As to replying to the false, them with being intolerant and anti- the Constitution of the United States .-

law of Kansas. While we doubt not it with the South. has many objectionable features; yet it is There is one thing true, that is, no man and the people will rally around and sus- holy cause, and should it succeed the tain it

Mr. Parrett made a speech in Congress, on the 31st ult., against the Lecompton swindle. He claimed to represen persecution, and after the despotism imposed by foreign invasion, and maintained nated in the Lecompton Constitutio vassalage of the people. The Convention was fraudulently constituted, and the pretended submission of the constitution a

where he went to protest in person against cheat. We hope to receive the speech at ation of Texas, the war with Mexico We had supposed that the greater altitude of Kansas over other portions of the matry under the same latitude, and less elevation, would tend to make our seasons more backward; but during our recent trip to St. Louis, which we made from Lawrence in two and one-third days, we found the vegetation there considerably behind what it was in Kansas when we left home. Our attention was called to ery, in the year 1858, to extend its damnthis subject while there, and we remarked upon it, and on returning we observed the same fact to exist. The same thing must be observed by every traveler coming from the east to Kansas this season, and the effect will be visible in the contentedness of the new comers, conscious, as they will the blackguard sheet of which Thach- be, that Kansas is all their most ardent er is the presiding genius. Modesty is hopes had taught them to expect on their

ment to the town, as is the whole build- had looking sheet is the result this week, editorial on our first page this week, head-Better luck next time.

for the Presidency, he wrote home that Kansas Bill was first introduced into the returned to this country, he made it the adhered to his position. Though scarcely

his oldest and truest friends, who plead of Buchanan and Andrew Jackson .- third days from Lawrence, taking passhold their offices, after the first term, for that he would listen to the voice of the There is none. Buchanan is as obstinate age at Wyandott on the F. X. Aubry, one cious blood, and whose existence has been parison is due more to Douglas. one of unparalleled prosperity and fame. It is not our province to judge whether ous, and the trip was accomplished in the dom which the thousands whose mur- sequence of defending and laboring for and the price was the same it would have gressmen cannot possess, and regardless mercenary motives to every one whose tional days, in "circulating" through the hold their office for two years, and the of all that is good and reckless of the political bias we do not favor. We strive drift wood between Jefferson City and St. future welfare of the country, he yields to do right ourselves and we praise those Louis.

himself to the Gorgon's embrace—a flatwho sympathize with us. Scarce a year

It is perhaps needless to say that every tered victim of the Slave Power.

which he has thrown-he chose the favor ring greater rights upon females. Abjur- of the Slave oligarchy in preference to a ing the laws and customs borrowed from fair fame and a clear conscience, and fool-

Freedom is not dependent upon the caprice upon her, and made her legally, what she rican Slave trade, and the passage of the While these are some of the radical The satiety of the Oligarchy knows no reforms which we would love to see limits; it is grasping and mercenary. The conducting it, and will bid defiance to all they proscribed us we would have charged restraint that was placed upon them by They wanted to throw off allegiance to it, ty for this kind of swindling was last As soon as received the Constitution and they urged disunion as the only pracwill be published at length, and we shall tical policy; for well they knew that the labor, heart and soul, in a legal way, to North never would permit the inhuman those who get swindled in this manner are

world has witnessed the last attempt to establish a Free Republic.

Progressing Backwards. It is very apparent that but a few years more will pass away ere a bitter contest will be waged on the floor of Congress, to contest of 1819 and '20, which resulted real object of which was to capture a few

which followed, and the cost to the nation each year approximating nearer and near- the binding. er to that whirlpool from which there is no extrication. It is the design of slaving curse over Kansas. Next year it hopes to be strong enough to override every barrier in its progress. The foreign

which is so near us.

(We invite attention to our leading

slave trade, with all its horrors, will be gratified to learn of this decision. revived, unless the people rise as one man to resist it. Perhaps it is as well to mee the usurpation of the slave power no ariv favored this season with beautiful and end the contest by one united and oring showers. The consequence is that vigorous effort. Let us watch the develgetation is more than a month earlier opment of affairs, and see where we are drifting, and how to avoid the melstrom han it has been any former year since we have been a resident of Kanasa

Blue City, situated on the Big Blue ed " New Tests for the Free State Party."

Reports of a prejudicial character have Whatever may have been our doubts sas Bill was in England, and only a short in regard to Senator Douglas' sincerity been circulated, by interested parties, in tant one for Kansas. The bill admitting time before his nomination as a candidate in taking the stand that he did when the regard to the Pacific Rail Road, and the Kansas into the Union as a State, under Doct. Rossussay, who Disunion" ought not to be lisped even Senate, we are now prepared to give him ferson City to Leavenworth. So numer- Senate, and a resolution had passed fixtheme of his public addresses before large addresses before large addresses before large and ence to the principal eastern cities. It is a sick room into the Senate—prior to the final action of that body in relation caved in and wholly obstructed progress, hour of one e'clock arrived. The bill past and to discard minor So anxious did he appear that the American control of that body in relation can Confederacy would be endangered by to the Administration's pet measure, he detaining travelers at great expense, or was read for the first time. Mr. Gidtil the question is fully settled. To the use of that fatal word, that he was made a powerful speech which occupied compelling them to return to Jefferson dings objected to the second reading of organizing a Republican party is quite eloquent in his endeavors to im- three hours in delivery-thundering out and take a steamer to St. Louis. Another under the rule. The question occurred Garvey; 2d, Champion of Freedom, pub- twenty-five members, and the House of press that idea upon Gov. Walker's mind his anathemas against the Administration represented that the bridge over the Gas- "Shall the bill be rejected." Mr. Stephens for a moment. lished by Mr. Pronty at Prairie City; 3d, seventy-five members for one year. In Crusader of Freedom, published by Redthe qualification of voters the word Governor of Kansas, and also in all his nery and inconsistency. It is not to be over it, evidencing that at no distant day stood 90 affirmative, 137 negative. The letters to WALKER after the arrival of the denied that he has fought valiantly dur- another calamity, probably more fatal than bill was then read the second time. We latter in the Territory, until he learned in ing the present session in a good cause, that which attended the opening of the October last that the certificates of election and though still feeble in health he is road would occur. And then the road April 1st: had been issued to Free State men, and almost constantly in attendance in the was constructed along the bank of the the Oxford and McGee returns had been House marshaling his forces against the river, and in many places the river had the bill, having understood that a substi-Lecompton Swindle, and marking out the undermined the road, rendering it certain What does Buchanan think of Disunion best policies for Representatives to pursue, that there was no safety in traveling over now? He now dares lisp it, and he is pos- However much we may condemn any it. And then it was said the steamers sessed of a singular infatuation to cause man's antecedents we take much more connected with the road were old connounces that it has temporarily suspended. to be transacted. The Capital by law, is that "Disunion" which he once seeming. pleasure in praising him when he is labor- demned boats which were wholly unsafe If revived it will be only temporary. Its now fixed at Minneola, and the Conven- ly so dreaded, and to consummate that debirth was attended with too much display tion has located the capital at that place, sign has done what no other Executive ly actuated by a desire of attaining the when we have heard these reports, either to ensure a long life. It was to be an as effectually as though Minneola had dared do. He assumed the responsibility emoluments of office, as many of our Re- in Kansas or along the line of travel, we of personally legislating for the people of publican friends have intimated, we can have heard the Union Line of Steamers Kansas, independent of Congressional ac- hardly believe he would have faced the complimented for their speed, accommotion. He assumed the position of a Dic- frowns and sneers of former associates com- dations, good fair, &c. Now we do not tator, and perverted the appointing power posing, as they did, the present powerful suppose the Union Steamboat Company which had been entrusted to him, in order Administration and its wealthy and influhas lived an illustrated LIE from the time \$2,000 in personal chattels to be selected to purchase and conform Senators and ential supporters. He has been read out to the injury of rival interests, but it is Representatives to his views and wishes, of their organization and divested of certain others do so, with what motive we and he cut off every man's official head every regard which they once entertained cannot divine. who would not bow in submission to his for him-once their acknowledged leader. On our trip of last week we passed over always on the lookout for falsehood. The Freedom has been the Champion of Cal- after appraisal only for a term of years, dictation, or like a menial do his bidding he now is regarded by them as an outcast this route referred to, making the entire thief, too, suspects all others to be govern- uning, it has lived its brief day, expired, and the proceeds are to be sacredly appli- in a work of fraud and tyranny. He has and a "Black Republican" renegade. We distance from Wyandott to St. Louis in repelled every advance made to him by cannot see any of the boasted similarity thirty-six hours, and only two and one-

> murs are daily reaching the ears of Con- the right-it is not our duty to attribute been had we employed two or there addisince no man was more popular in the word in regard to the unsafe condition of Can it be hoped that he sees a peaceful South than Senator Douglas. He was the Railroad, or its obstructions, is simply settlement of the Kansas difficulties in termed the Ajax of the Senate. Then false, With the exception of a slight the radicals, and they have made a rad- admitting her as a State without her com- when he took the floor he commanded land slide, which percipitated a mass of ical constitution, but we apprehend that plicity to terms? Will not such a policy the utmost attention-and his word was earth on the track, and which was removmember of that convention our vote should with Kansas affairs are perhaps better flattered. Why? Because his arguments single hour. As for the tunnel caving, it alcoholic liquors in the State, save for by politicians should the Lecompton Conhave provided that as soon as penitentia- cians did not speak a healthy sentiment. that order and a proper decorum could be itself through the Mississippi. The bridge Regau, Rielly, Ruffin, Russell, Sandidge

destruction. No sooner did it appear accident than from any other road, crime—he staked his all upon the dice displeasure of the Administration, he en-

been made by disunionists to crush which calumny has propagated to its injunim, he has made many friends both ry, yet we are disposed to say that if our souls have not become deadened to hu- and the East, we would, by all means, manity by an inhuman traffic, or a greedy advise them to travel by the way of the desire for office.

Sculldaggery.

It is getting to be the practice among the sharpers to repeat the sale of lots and quarter sections, they may have, and thus make in the double price a clever per centage on their investment.

It must be admitted that the oportuniyear favorable, but since we have a Becorder's offices, that are convenient and legal make it the active, living, fundamental traffic, while joined in fraternal bands little deserving of sympathy. There is only one safe method which a purchaser after the most approved model, at a cost or encumbrancer of land or lots can adopt: probably the best which could be framed has lent more influence to the cause of that is in all cases to examine the records at this time; it emenates from the people, disunionists than Buchanan. It is an unprecaution practiced and there will be little of that new game of double selling are worthy the beautiful craft in whose successfully played.

OF Persons wishing to go down the Missouri on the best steamer on the river should so arrange it as to be in Wyandott secure the repeal of all laws making the by daylight of Saturday morning of each foreign slave trade piracy. Each year week, when they can connect with the the slave power makes new inroads upon John H. Dickey, and be certain of conthe cause of freedom. Commencing with necting with the cars at Jefferson City, the annexation of Louisiana, and followed so as to arrive in St. Louis on Sunday by the purchase of Florida; the bitter evening. Returning, they should leave St. Louis on the three o'clock express in the adoption of the Missouri Com- train on Tuesday, when they will take promise; and then the Florida war, the the steamer at nine o'clock P.M., and arrive at Wyandott early on Friday morning, in time to connect with Eldridge's runaway negroes, with its expenditure of stages to Lawrence. Travelers will do forty million dollars; and then the annex-well to remember this.

The people of Kansas, instead of throw ing a single obstacle in the way of the P. The contract for publishing the laws of two hundred millions of dollars - of the last session of the Territorial Leg. R. R. Company, should do everything in These were succeeded by the compromise islature, with the proceedings of that their power to aid it, so as to secure its measures of 1850, and the fugitive slave body, has been given to S. W. Driggs & early completion to a point where it will law. In 1854, the barrier of 1820 against Co., who have already commenced work connect with our contemplated Kansas to be one of the sovereign States of the slavery was broken down, and the Dred upon it, and will push it forward as speed. Valley Railroad; and to this end we ask Union, and entitled to one Representa-Scott decision soon followed as a matter ily as possible to completion. Mr. Dods- the Kansas press to join in keeping down of course. And so we are drifting on, worth, Bookbinder, of this city will do those injurious reports, without a shadow of truth in them, which will be circulated from time to time to its prejudice. O'Mr. Duncan has just returned from

t. Louis, where he has been to purchase a stock of goods. The firm had contem plated retiring from business, but on rethey wish to invest it to advantage. flection have determined to continue a Property is excessively low this season, while longer. Their customers will be owing to a great scarcity of money, consequently now is a good time to make investments. A few months hence and it

> er to an advertisement, headed "House and lot for sale." A year ago the lot would command nearly what is demanded for the whole premises. It is under ditor of the Herald of Freedom for inf ation on the subject.

We ask the attention of the read-

which is so filled up with flood wood.

in dress, manners and general deportment,

service they are. Though thronged with

supplied with a clean comfortable bed.

without the necessity of resorting to the

foor with mattrasses, as is almost invaria-

bly the case on the old steamers running

of our desire to show the falsity of the

Pacific Railroad."

The first day of April was an imporsteamers which connect with it from Jef- the Lecompton Swindle passed the ons were the reports, and plied with such ing that day as the end of the debate on making Kansas a slave State. The last energy we were almost half inclined to the question. Mr. Stephens, of Georgia, sales in July gives them hope again. conside would careen as loaded cars passed demanded the yeas and nays, which copy from the telegraphic dispatch of

Mr. Stephens would not now discuss

Mr. Montgomery, who offered the Crit-Lecompton Democratic conference, propo-zing to admit Kansas into the Union, and refer the Lecompton Constitution to a vote of the people, and in the event of its rejection a Convention be called to form a new Constitution, to be allowed one Representative in the House of Repsentatives until the next Federal census. Mr. Montgomery said he had no remarks to make, the substitute was its best

he members and was ready to supply Mr. Quitman offered a substitute which is the same as the Senate bill with the omission of the declaration clause, that the people have the right at all times to alter or amend their constitution in such manner as they may think proper.

interpreter. He had furnished copies to

the same clause proposed to be omitted in Mr. Quitman's substitute.

Mr. Stephens refused to yield the floor for that purpose, and demanded the pre-

be borne in mind and entered on the The question of Quitman's substitute

vas then negatived—yeas 72, nays 160. Mr. Montgomery's substitute was adopted—yeas 120, nays 112.

Applause in the galleries.

The House then proceeded to vote on the bill, as amended by Mr. Montgome-

NAYS-Ahl, Anderson, Arnold, Atkins.

very, Barksdale, Bishop, Bocock, Bonham, Bowie, Boyce, Branch, Bryan, Burnett, Burns, Caskie, Clark of Mo., Clay, Clemens, Clingman, Cobb, Johnson, Coch rane, Corning, Craig of Mo., Craige of N. so far from being correct in one mais C., Crawford, Curry, Davidson, Dawson of particular, that to pass it over without Miss., Dewart, Eerrick, Dowdell, Ed- tice, would be to do injustice to all a Hopkins, Houston, Hughes, Huyler, Jackson, Jenkins, Jewett, Jones of Tenn., J. Savage, Scales, Scott, Searing, Seward, Shaw of N. C., Shorter, Sickles, Single ton, Smith of Tenn., Smith of Virginia YEAS-Messrs, Abbott, Adrian.

drews, Bennet, Billinghurst, Bingham, Blair, Bliss, Brayton, Buffington, Burlin-While we have no interest in this artidispleasure of the Administration, he callisted his whole soul and his whole influ-listed his whole soul and his whole influ-cle other than a sense of justice to a mor-litorious Railroad Company, and with a Notwithstanding the efforts which have desire to remove any improper prejudice Damrell, Davis of Md., Davis of Ind., Davis of Mass., Davis of Iowa, Dawee, every real "member of the Convention lish, Farnsworth, Fenton, Foley, Foster, North and South-friends who can be readers, whether in the States or in Kan- Giddings, Gilman, Gilmer, Gooch, Good-North and South—friends who can be readers, whether in the state of the relied upon, for they compose those whose sas, have occasion to pass between Kansas win, Granger, Groesbeck, Grow, Hall of Mass, Harlan, Harris of Md., Harris of Ill., Haskins, Hickman, Hoard advise them to travel by the way of the Pacific Railroad, with an assurance that it will be a matter of economy in time, money and comfort, and with less danger from accidents than by traveling the whole from accidents than by traveling the whole control to the river the lower portion of the river t oute on the river, the lower portion of Morse of Maryland, Morse of N.Y. Mott, Murray, Nichols, Olin, Palmer, Par-The above remarks were penned by us ker, Pendleton, Pettit, Pike, Potter, Patwhile tarrying in St. Louis. On our retle, Parviance, Ricaud, Ritchie, Robbins, turn we passed over the same route, and Ohio, Sherman of N.Y., Smith of Ill., at Jefferson City took passage on the John Springer, Stanton, Stewart of Pa., TapH. Dickey, a new steamer, just put on the Railroad line, commanded by Capt. Dax derwood, Wade, Walbridge, Waldron, Walton, Washburne of Wis, Washburn ABLE, and W. H. BLOCK, Clerk. The of Me., Washburne of Ill., steamer was built during the last Winter, Wood.

Thus this great outrage upon the rights of \$45,000; is perfect in all its arrangeof the people was stripped of its power to Congregational Church, every alte ments, and is furnished in the best possible style. The employees of the boat, in

occasion, as it is a victory which late news | Springs, Lecompton, Lawrence, France from Congress had hardly taught us to Prairie City and Bloomington, mini look for. The booming of cannon which ing in each place on alternate Sabe passengers, yet from the large number of was kept up until a late hour on Tuesday and visiting three places on each day. state rooms, and berths, every person was night evidenced the joy which was felt in Lawrence on the receipt of this glorious

The demonstration at Leavenworth was said to be of a very exciting character. on the river. Her tables, too, are supplied A friend has kindly furnished us with with bills of fare, after the manner of the detailed account of the doings at Wyanfirst class hotels, so that every person can order just what his appetite craves. But we are protracting our remarks to a greater particularly in the States, as proof of the people of the particularly in the States, as proof of the people o length than we had contemplated, because deep-seated detestation of the people of Kansas towards that infamous swindle.

report that "old condemned steamers are The bill, as it passed the House, proemployed to run in connection with the vided that the Lecompton Constitution shall be submitted to a vote of the people of Kansas, and if adopted by a majority of them, when such fact should be officially communicated by the Govemor to the President, the latter should issue his Proclamation declaring Kansas tive and two Senators on the floor of Congress. If rejected by a majority of the people of Kansas, then the Governor of the Torritory was to convene an extra session of the Territorial Legislature, who should provide for a new Constitu Convention: such Convention to proceed to frame a new Constitution, which she be submitted to a vote of the people, and if endorsed by a majority of them, when the President should be officially informed of such action by the Territorial Governor, he would issue his Proclamation to that effect, and Kansas would be declared a State on the terms before

defeated in the Senate. A committee of moregage, and must be sold. Call on the conference will now be appointed by the two bodies to agree upon a bill; but should suppose, from the decided vote

writes a friend in this city, that the cidal, and the idea must not be

Direction of Emigration The emigration this season to Kais seeking new routes of travel to the in points on the North side of the rive past, land at Leavenworth, and go un ountry directly from that point. To sound for the lower Neosho, and point that direction land at Kansas City, and directly to the point they have in a by the way of Osawatomie. The la emigration passing through Lawrence Emporia and other localities southwas

that point. Last year the great tide of piece came directly to Lawrence, and from the point diverged to all parts of the Terri ry. This was the diverging point & center of business, and the town looked, upon as a sort of Mecca h such no longer, at least to that error

has been in the past. Our recent trip to St. Louis satisfied that the travel to Kansas will be farl al Senate bill by striking out this season than during any precedseason for four years. The boats com to Kansas, though more numerous they do not contain more than onethe passengers of last year. There fewer, however, who are returning formerly. It is not impossible but 6 when the season of emigration has deour increase of population will be as la in the aggregate, as during any for year, owing to the fewer persons re-

> EDITOR HERALD OF FREEDOM :- In Lawrence Republican" of March S s published a communication for member of the Convention" which

so far from being correct in one mate cerned-not only members of the But Church, but to all interested in Charafairs and the public generally. If the writer of that article was re as he says, a"member of the Convention what excuse can he offer for his asset

that," the resolutions in question were deliberate expressions of all the Basi Churches in Kansas,"

ion are not pertinent to the purposed Kansas, who was a delegate to the la rence Convention, after protesting age to the practice of the Church, and full his protest was unheeded, withdrew a bers of the Convention also

well attest. Very respectfully yours, A FRIEND OF TRUTE We learn that, through the instruc-tality of Rev. Mr. Willison, former

the city of Erie, Pa, a Presbyte Church has been organized in this with twenty-four members. Three l ing Elders and nine Trustees have

Ruling Elders will take place in the gregational Church on Sabbath, the inst, at 2 1-2 o'clock P. M., at w time Mr. Willson will deliver a disco upon "The Authority for a Presister or Republican Form of Government For the present, religious services

be conducted by Mr. WILLSON, in abbath, at 2 1-2 o'clock P. M. He vides his ministerial labors between

District consisting of the counties of derson, Allen, Woodson, Coffey, I Bourbon, Wilson, Dorn, and McGes:

The undersigned would, in cornect the third Tuesday of May next. W. L. WEBSTER, of Anderson Co

R. Austin, of Woodson
WM. Springs, of Anderson
WM. R. GRIVETTH, of Bourbon B. B. NEWTON, of A. DANFOED, THOS. H. BUTLER, R. EWING, W. P. M. ARNY, of Anderson Cours R. A. KINZIE, of Coffey County

Notice has been issued from the Office, that the Shawnee lands are prevenent prior to the 4th of February since that date are good, -Leaves

June, and realized a good harvest. was owing to the protracted drouth of Spring and fore part of the Summer, he beavy rains of August. This sen will succeed best.